

TENNESSEE

HIGH PRIORITY TO ACHIEVE BASIC EQUALITY

PARENTING LAWS

Second Parent Adoption	☐
Surrogacy Laws	☐
Foster Care Non-Discrimination	☐
Foster Parent Training Required	☐
Parental Presumption for Same-Sex Couples	☐
Consent to Inseminate	☐
De Facto Parent Recognition	☐
Prohibition of Surrogacy	☐
Laws Permitting Discrimination in Adoption/Foster Placement	☐

HATE CRIMES & CRIMINAL JUSTICE LAWS

Enumerated Hate Crimes Laws	☒
Mandatory Reporting of Hate Crimes Statistics	☐
Elimination of Bias Rage or Panic Defense for Criminal Acts	☐
Prohibiting Profiling Based on Actual or Perceived LGBTQ Status by Law Enforcement	☐
Sodomy Laws	☐
HIV/AIDS Criminalization Laws	☐

NON-DISCRIMINATION LAWS

Employment	☐
Housing	☐
Public Accommodations	☐
Education	☐
Adoption	☐
Foster Care	☐
Insurance	☐
Credit	☐
Jury Selection	☐
Colleges & Universities	☐
Non-Discrimination Policy for State Employees	☐
Restrictions on Municipal Protections	☐
Religious Exemptions in State Non-Discrimination Laws	☐

RELIGIOUS REFUSAL & RELATIONSHIP RECOGNITION

State Religious Freedom Restoration Act	☐
Religious Exemptions for Professional Training/Practice	☐
First Amendment Defense Act	☐

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- ☐ No statewide law or policy
- ☒ Statewide law or policy present
- ☒ Not Applicable
- ☐ Statewide law or policy for sexual orientation only
- ☐ Statewide law or policy for gender identity only
- ☐ No statewide law or policy for sexual orientation or gender identity
- ☐ Statewide law or policy for both sexual orientation and gender identity

YOUTH LAWS

Anti-Bullying Laws	☐
▪ Enumerated Categories in Law	☐
▪ Enumerated Model Policy	☐
▪ Alternative Discipline	☐
▪ Cyberbullying	☒
School Suicide Prevention Policies Required	☒
Transgender Inclusion in Sports	☐
Protection from Conversion Therapy	☐
Laws to Address LGBTQ Youth Homelessness	☐
LGBTQ Inclusive Sex Education Laws	☐
LGBTQ Inclusive Juvenile Justice Policies	☒
Inequality in Age of Consent for Same-Sex Couples	☐
School Laws that Criminalize Youth	☐
Anti-Bullying Laws that Prohibit Enumeration	☐
Laws that Restrict Inclusion of LGBTQ Topics in Schools	☐

HEALTH & SAFETY LAWS

LGBTQ Non-Discrimination Protections in ACA Exchanges	☐
Transgender Healthcare Coverage	☐
▪ Ban on Insurance Exclusions for Trans Healthcare	☐
▪ Transgender Healthcare Inclusion in State Medicaid	☐
▪ Trans Inclusive Health Benefits for State Employees	☐
Name and Gender Marker Updates on Identification Documents	☐
▪ Driver's Licenses	☐
▪ Birth Certificates	☐
Health Data Collection	☐
▪ BRFSS	☐
▪ YRBSS	☐
All-Gender Single Occupancy Facilities	☐
Laws Prohibiting Transgender People from Receiving Appropriate ID	☐
Transgender Exclusions in State Medicaid Coverage	☐

ANNUAL PROGRESS

